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Version: As Introduced

Primary Sponsors: Reps. Troy and Brown Piccolantonio

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill changes the date of a presidential primary election from the third Tuesday after the first Monday in March to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May, which is the date that all other primary elections (except presidential primaries) are held in Ohio. There is no direct fiscal impact resulting from this change in official election date, as the duties of a county board of elections do not change under the bill.